

Synonym: Eremomela griseoflava perimacha Oberholser, Proc. Biol. Soc. Wash., 33, 1920: Asbestos Mts.

Breast pale grey, belly somewhat brighter yellow than in *E. i. saturator*.

Range: The Orange River basin from the Vaal confluence downstream, Gordonia, and most of Griqualand West, southern S. W. Africa. Intergrades with the next race between 22° and 23°S in South West Africa.

3. *Eremomela icteropygialis sharpei* Reichenow

Eremomela flaviventris sharpei Reichenow, Orn. Monatsb., 13, 1905: 25—Windhoek

Breast almost white; belly decidedly brighter than in *E. i. icteropygialis*.

Range: Northern South West Africa, the whole of Bechuanaland Protectorate except the north-east corner, and the Kalahari Gemsbok Park area of the northern Cape.

4. *Eremomela icteropygialis polioxantha* Sharpe

Eremomela polioxantha Sharpe, Cat. Bds. B.M., 7, 1883: 160—Swaziland.

Breast much as in *E. i. icteropygialis*, belly much richer yellow than in any of the preceding.

Range: as outlined in par. 3 above.

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A new name for *Bradypterus barratti major* (Roberts)

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If both *Caffrillas barratti* (Sharpe) and *Dumeticola major* Brooks are placed in the genus *Bradypterus*, following Delacour (*Ibis*, 1942, p. 512), then the name *Bradypterus barratti major* (Roberts) becomes a junior secondary homonym. I therefore propose:—

Bradypterus barratti lysis, nom. nov. for *Caffrillas barratti major* Roberts, Ann. Transvaal Mus., viii, p. 234, 1922—Wakkerstroom, Transvaal.

= *Bradypterus barratti major*, not

Dumeticola major Brooks, *Journ. As. Soc. Bengal*, 41, p. 77, 1872—Kashmir

= *Bradypterus major major*.